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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/US2004/032129	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE September 30, 2004	U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5) TBD 10/5/4530
TITLE OF INVENTION Apparatus and Method for Fluid Flow Measurement with Sensor Shielding		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Robert E. Maute		
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
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